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PRESIDENT BEGINS HIS SECOND TERM

ROOSEVELT TAKES OATH BEFORE IMMENSE AUDIENCE.

SOLEMNITY MARKS EVENT

Multitude Awed as Chief Executive Repeats Binding Words—Twenty-One Guns Boon Salute—Fairbanks Is Inducted.

Washington, D. C., March 4.—"I do solemnly swear that I will faithfully execute the office of president of the United States, and, to the best of my ability, protect, preserve and defend the constitution of the United States." With these words Theodore Roosevelt, president of the United States for the past three years, was Saturday inaugurated for another term to the highest office which it is the privilege of an American citizen to attain.

Chief Justice Fuller, with all the solemnity of the three other occasions of like character in which he has figured during his career, administered the oath to the president. This was the fourth and last instance in which the chief justice is to be the second figure of importance. Hardly had the president finished his inaugural address and disappeared within the capitol building than the hush which had fallen upon the spectators when he raised his hand preparatory to taking the oath was broken by the deafening roar of 21 guns in official salute to the executive, just entering upon his second term as president.

Interest at Its Height.
During the hours intervening between the gathering of the crowd and the



Theodore Roosevelt.

ceremony there was no letting down of the tension of interest. The passing of a uniformed horseman was sufficient to call forth cheers, although in some sections the multitude showed signs of restlessness. This was true particularly on the outskirts of the throng where, pressed by constantly arriving recruits, many struggled to get nearer to the point of interest. The effect upon the densely packed multitude was a continuous surging backward and forward—a turbulent sea of humanity.

The rendezvousing of the troops, committees and civic societies entertained the crowd throughout the long wait incident to the schedule. The various

organizations arriving by different routes passed into the narrow defiles which the police kept open, the brilliant uniforms of the troops, the bright sashes of the committees and the rich caparisoning of the horses lending themselves to a kaleidoscopic panoramic effect. Cheers upon cheers greeted the constantly shifting picture.

As rapidly as the troops arrived they took the positions assigned them. The military escort stretched far to the left and consisted of all branches of the service—horse foot and artillery. To the right were grouped division after division of state troops, and in different places of honor the other organizations took their stand to await the signal to move.

The movements of the gathering troops and organizations were not all the crowd had for its entertainment. Directly in its front preparations were in progress for the inauguration itself. The monster stand, in the form of an open amphitheater, accommodating 7,000 persons had been erected on a line with the rotunda of the capitol and there decorators were engaged in arranging for the ceremony and ushers busied themselves learning the sections to be assigned to the various officials and distinguished guests.

Notables Begin to Arrive

Shortly after noon just following the induction into office of Vice President Fairbanks, the monster stand, decorated with plants, flowers, flags and bunting, began to fill with the people who had just finished witnessing the ceremonies in the senate chamber, and scarcely a half hour passed before this coign of vantage was filled to overflowing. Added to the color afforded by the plants and bunting were the brilliant

costumes of the women, and these put on a touch of variety which rivaled the occasion of four years ago. Every ledge about the capitol and the windows were filled to the point of overflowing with their human burdens, and long before the official party appeared the streets were jammed as far as the eye could reach.

Several minutes before one o'clock an extra loud burst of cheers from the multitude just in front of the main capitol door called the attention from the brilliant parade of uniforms in the street to the official party, which had just come through the main door. "The president, there he is," and similar cries came from the assembled multitude.

But the nation's chief was not to come for some moments.

A hush was noticeable in the crowd. The official entrance was dramatic. All except those who were participating in the ceremony were seated. When the justices of the supreme court, with the exception of Chief Justice Fuller, emerged from between the Corinthian pillars and marched down the sloping carpeted aisle to their station they were greeted with applause. The justices wore their robes and skull-caps. Then came the members of the diplomatic corps, in their gorgeous uniforms, and they evoked thunderous applause. Led by Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador and dean of the corps, and followed by the others in order of precedence, they took seats on the right of the stand. Strolling in after them came members of the cabinet, senators and representatives in congress.

Hush as President Comes.

Following on the heels of the official party came Mrs. Roosevelt and a party of friends; then, but a moment later, the new vice president, Mr. Fairbanks, and his escort arrived and were greeted by tremendous bursts of applause. As soon as Vice President Fairbanks seated himself the cheers ceased, the military presented arms, every hat in the committee came off and the great ocean of people set up a perfect roar of cheers, fairly shouting itself hoarse.

Quick as a flash every sound was stilled and President Roosevelt, quiet and composed of demeanor, came from between the gigantic pillars, escorted by Chief Justice Fuller. A random burst of cheers came from the front of the crowd as with measured tread, in harmony with the dignified step of the chief justice, the president advanced in state down the long aisle of distinguished guests. By this time all were standing and nothing could be heard above the roar of thunderous welcome. Immediately following came, arm in arm, the members of the committee on arrangements. As the president passed down the aisle he bowed his head and with characteristic sweep of his hat bowed in acknowledgement of the salutations from the stand and the ovation from the people.

The man of the hour was before the most representative gathering that had ever assembled to greet the chief executive of the nation upon a like occasion.

President Roosevelt's manner was not that of a man upon whose head fell the great responsibilities of a nation's care. Three years of experience as chief executive had changed this man as much as did Lincoln's liberation of the black man change that great statesman. While he waited for the applause to die out he stood in triumph, with no show of vanity, with no evidences of political enmity, apparently no memories of the campaign gone by, and nothing more disconcerting than a huge gathering of loyal Americans.

Oath Is Administered.

Chief Justice Fuller stepped to the front of the pavilion constructed especially for the use of the president during the ceremonies, and his clerk came forward bearing a Bible. A hush, followed by absolute silence, fell over the crowd, which but a moment before was cheering itself hoarse. President Roosevelt raised his right hand and took the oath which binds him in supporting the laws and constitution of the

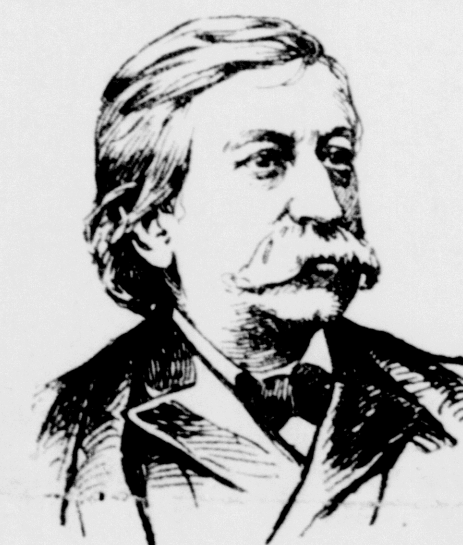


Charles W. Fairbanks.

United States, with great reverence and amid deep silence. So great was the awe of the assembled multitude that not the semblance of a demonstration followed. Then the president began his inaugural address, and as soon as he had finished and disappeared within the capitol the signal was flashed to the navy yard and the salute of 21 guns told the end of the ceremonies and the initial step of the president's entrance into his second term of office.

Fairbanks Is Inaugurated.

Second only in importance to the inauguration of the president, on the cal-



Chief Justice Fuller.

endar of events for the day, was the induction of Senator Fairbanks, of Indiana, into the office of the vice president of the United States in the senate chamber. The ceremony was brief and simple to the extent of being severe. Immediately following the address and oath of Vice President Fairbanks came the final adjournment of the Fifty-eighth congress and the beginning of the special session.

Many other events, such as the swearing in of almost a third membership of the senate and various routine duties, which were in themselves of great import, were thrust into the background by the impressive ceremonies which preceded "Solemn and yet brief" is the way the taking of the oath impressed the spectators. It consisted of a promise, made with uplifted hand and bowed head, to perform the duties of the office and to support and defend the constitution of the United States. This was the oath of office, and it was administered by Senator Frye as president pro tempore of the senate. The two officials stood confronting each other on the elevated platform on which rests the desk of the preceding officer of the senate, practically on the same spot on which all the incoming vice presidents for the past 59 years have stood.

Regarding the notables who were present at the ceremony in the senate, practically the same personages were seen at this event as were present about an hour later at the inauguration of the president. Every niche and cranny in the gallery was filled with people. That section which is generally used privately by the senators was turned over to the executive party and directly opposite that quarter newspaper men were busily engaged portraying the scenes about them. Outside of these two quarters of the gallery persons holding special tickets were seated.

Shortly before 12 the special guests began to arrive. The president was seated in a big red leather chair immediately in front of the desk of the presiding officer and was an interesting spectator of the ceremony in which he himself had participated four years ago. The induction ceremony did not consume more than two minutes of time and was administered by Mr. Frye, presiding officer of the senate.

With the last positive thump of the gavel upon the desk Senator Frye relinquished his position as president pro tempore by announcing the end of that body. Taking a seat to one side Mr. Fairbanks took his place and began his inaugural address. This was followed by the prayer of Dr. Edward Everett Hale. Then the organization of the senate was completed, the oath in each case being administered by Mr. Fairbanks. Immediately upon the adjournment the guests began to file out of the gallery and preparations were begun for the inauguration of the president.

Announcement

OUR new stock of Dry Goods is now open and ready for your inspection. On account of the condition of the weather our building is still unfinished, but we have our stock arranged, and will be more than pleased to show our friends a new and up-to-date stock of Merchandise. Whether it is school dresses for the children, house dresses, street dresses or evening gowns, the materials are all here, domestic and imported, and all bought to the best possible advantage. Call and see the New Spring Line.

Cash on Delivery of Goods.
One Price to all.

The Red Cross Store
- DRY GOODS - SHOES - CLOTHING -

CHITWOOD, THE TAILOR, FOR UP-TO-DATE CLOTHING, NEXT TO POSTOFFICE.

PAUL W. ALLEN,
Livery Stable.

NEW HORSES
Travel well.
Satisfactory Service Guaranteed.
Allen Livery Barn

Two Essential Qualities



Characterize our lines of shoes. One is to see, but hard to describe—that's Style. The other is easy to describe but hard to see—that's Construction. The first produces good appearance, the second preserves it.

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Everything good to eat always on hand at the Model Bakery. Bread, Cakes, Pies, Cookies, Candies, Etc. See him opposite the postoffice.

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FRANK JONES, Cashier. ORVILLE SNEAD, Asst Cashier

Capital Stock, - - - - - \$50,000.00
Undivided Profits, - - - - - 20,200.00

Blanks Furnished and Remittances Made to the Government on Town Lots.

ADA, CHICKASAW NATION, IND. TER.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Indian Territory: Tonight and Sunday generally fair; colder tonight.

Temperature.

The big thermometer in front of the News office registered today as follows:
At 8 a. m. 58
At 3 p. m. 80

LOCAL NEWS

Al Constant was in Oklahoma City Friday evening.

See P. K. Smith for up-to-now photo work. 152-1f

F. O. Harriss had a pleasant time at Roff Friday evening.

Dr. O. M. Bisant, dentist, located in Conn-Little building, phone No. 185. 278-1f

John Crawford was an Oklahoma City visitor Friday evening.

Order your roasts and steaks at Joe DeCours. He knows what good meat is. 299-1f

T. D. McKeown returned this morning from a business trip to Tishomingo.

Dr. O. M. Bisant, dentist, located in Conn-Little building, phone No. 185. 278-1f

Misses Helen and F. K. Davenport, of Konawa, are in the city visiting friends.

Wear Dittman's shoes, the standard of merit for over half a century, sold by I. Harris. 277-1f

B. C. King returned today from Shawnee and Tecumseh where he was attending to court business.

Keep your eye—both eyes—on Chapman's shoe window. He is displaying the newest thing in footwear. 299-1f

Bud Greg. received a message this morning saying his brother Walter, at Mt. Vernon, Texas, was very ill. He left for there today.

Aldrich-Rinard have a nice lot of bulk garden seeds and onion sets. 300-6f

John Fulton, of Stewart, was in town today. 304-3f

W. J. Baugh is reported to have mumps.

Don't fail to see our "Golden Gate" line. Jones & Meaders. 303-6f

A. M. Harrah, of Weleetka, is in the city today.

Barbecue meat at Tobin's. 303-3f

W. T. Martin is in Oklahoma City today.

Try Barbecue meats Tobin has it. 303-3f

Mrs. Tom Lancaster, of Fitzhugh, was in the city shopping today.

Phone Tobin for Barbecue meat. 303-3f

J. A. White left this morning for his home at Enterprise after a few days visit with T. J. Chambliss.

Golden Gate coffee's, teas and spices are the finest in the United States. Jones & Meaders. 303-6f

Don't Underrate the Quality Because We Undercut the Price

It has been our custom at this time of the season to cut the prices instead of carrying the goods over to another season.

Here are a few of the Many Cut Prices in this Clearance Sale

Our heavy weight suits at \$8.50 reduced to \$6.50
Our heavy weight suits at 6.00 reduced to 4.50
Our heavy weight suits at 9.00 reduced to 6.90
Our heavy weight suits at 10.00 reduced to 7.00
Our heavy weight suits at 11.50 reduced to 8.00
Our heavy weight suits at 12.50 reduced to 9.00
Mens' bib overalls, the regular 65c kind for 39c
Mens' heavy fleeced lined undershirts the 50c kind and 65c kind for 39c
Mens' good heavy shoes the regular 1.50 kind you can have them in any style for \$1.25

THIS IS POSITIVELY THE GREATEST BONA FIDE SALE OF THE SEASON

We ask you all to see us before making your purchase.

I. HARRIS

FOR TRUSTWORTHY MERCHANDISE
Ada, Ind. Ter.

The city democratic club will meet at the court house this evening.

A fine gentle family horse, also buggy and harness for sale. Inquire at the Busy Bee restaurant. 304-1f

Sophia and Beatrice Lee, of Liberty, Mo., came in Friday afternoon on their way to Citra to see a sister that is very sick.

A nobby line of street hats just received. Mrs. Alexander. 303-2

A marriage license was issued to C. O. Garrett, age 37, and Miss Callie Shumaker, age 17, both of Palmer.

Spring time is coming. "Gentle Annie," so is Mrs. Alexander's spring hats. 303-2

I. M. King came in from Shawnee and Tecumseh where he was on business connected with the John Coleman murder case. Sparks was discharged and Lobaugh held under \$3,000 bonds, which has not yet been filled.

Bargains instead of Books. 303-5f Jones & Meaders.

John Beard and M. D. Steiner returned today from a trip of investigating the canning factory proposition at Shawnee. They will be ready to report at the meeting of the truck growers and commercial club Tuesday night.

Rev. W. T. Matthews, evangelist of Durant Presbytery, came in today and will preach at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning and night.

Regular services at the Cumberland Presbyterian church Sunday morning and evening. All the members are earnestly requested to be present at the 11 o'clock service as the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at that time. A hearty invitation is cordially extended to everybody.

Program XXth Century Club
Roll call—Current Events.
Lesson chapter I and II—Leader, Mrs. Beard.
Paper—Finland, Land of a Thousand Lakes, Mrs. Carney.
Talk—Women Rulers of Russia, Mrs. Bills.
Music, Miss McKoy.
Hostess, Miss McKoy.

ELECTION OF ABBOTT.

Indian Territory Man Elected to High Church Position.

Guthrie, Ok., March 4.—Rev. H. Bernard Murphy of Krebs, I. T., was Friday elected abbot of the Benedictine Sacred Heart Abbey in Southwestern Oklahoma, and will be the first American incumbent, and succeeds Abbot Felix Degrasse, who died recently.

The election took place in the abbey and was presided over by Rt. Rev. Boniface Natter, lord abbot of Buckfast, England, who came to the United States especially for this ceremony.

Rev. Murphy was born in Savannah, Ga., in 1858 and joined the Benedictines in 1875. He is a pioneer worker among the Indians in Oklahoma and Indian Territory.

Methodist Church.

Sunday morning at 11 o'clock Rev. T. L. Rippey will preach a special sermon to the children. All invited to come. Jr. League 3 p. m. Senior League 6:30 and preaching 7:30 p. m. Sacrament at the morning service. Strangers welcomed.

T. L. Rippey, Pastor.

Christian Church

Special services tomorrow morning and evening, at the usual hours. A cordial welcome to all.

Burglars Enter Store.

Wagoner, I. T., Mar. 4.—At an early hour Friday morning burglars broke into the store of the Wagoner Hardware Co., securing a number of guns and ammunition.

It is believed that it was the work of an organized gang of thieves, and all officers in the Creek nation are on the alert, and arrests are hourly expected.

Entertainment Success.

The entertainment last evening given under the auspices of the ladies of the Christian church and which Miss Case directed was a flattering success. All participants acquitted themselves most admirably.

LOVE'S LABOR LOST.

Conferees Did Not Report And Statehood Bill Goes Over.

Washington, Mar. 3.—The day passed without anything developing in the statehood situation, and there are no indications that anything approximating an agreement either to admit Oklahoma and Indian Territory as the state of Oklahoma, or two states along the line of the house bill, will be reached tonight. The conferees made no report, and the motion to dismiss the conferees and concur in the house bill was not pushed in the senate.

To all appearances another congress will pass into history at noon tomorrow, without performing its duty to the 1,500,000 people of Oklahoma and the Indian Territory. With the death of this congress, the statehood bill will also die, and all of the work and successes of the past two years will be literally thrown away.

A new bill must be introduced next fall must go through the tortuous committee route of the house, and finally pass that body. Then the process must be repeated in the senate. And then perhaps there will be more conferences. But there is talk that all of this will be done next session. Beveridge has all along contended that with the additional republican members, the house measure for two states of the four can be forced through congress, even if the opposition resorts to a filibuster.

City Hall For Durant.

Durant, I. T. Mar. 4.—The city council has determined to erect at once a two-story stone city hall and fire station, and also put on three paid firemen and two teams to draw the hose and truck wagons. The improvements will cost about \$5,000.

The improvements in the fire department will be made in order to secure a reduction of 20 per cent in the fire insurance, promised by the insurance raters, who are now in the city.

Teachers To Get Their Pay.

Muskogee, I. T., March 4.—Arrangements were perfected Thursday whereby the 200 teachers in the schools of Indian Territory who have been waiting for their pay since last October, will be paid at once. Checks drawn on the subtreasury at St. Louis were sent out yesterday to teachers, aggregating about \$15,000, and the remainder of the \$35,000 now due will be sent within ten days.

Hereafter the government will arrange the funds so that the teachers may be paid promptly at the end of each quarter.

Backache is never known to those persons who take an occasional dose of Pineules. The value of the resin obtained from the pine tree has long been recognized in the treatment of diseases of the bladder and kidneys. One dose of Pineules will give relief and one bottle will cure. Clark Drug Co.

STATEHOOD BILL IS DEAD.

Conferees on the Measures Fail to Reach an Agreement at the Last Moment and No Action Is Taken.

Washington, March 4.—The statehood bill died at 9:30 o'clock Friday night. At that time the conferees on the bill parted, not to meet again during the Fifty-Eighth Congress. There were persistent efforts on the part of the Senate conferees to get a disagreement report to the two Houses, but conferees made the positive declaration that no disagreement report would be signed.

The plan of the House leaders on the statehood question for the next Congress has been outlined. The first days of the next session, Mr. Hamilton, chairman of the House Committee on Territories, will introduce the statehood bill with provisions like these which passed the House. He will call his committee to pass the bill, which action will be taken without preliminary hearings. Within two weeks it is expected that the bill will be on the House calendar. A special order will be forthcoming to put it through without protracted discussion, and the question then will be taken before the Senate. It is believed that with a long session before it the bill can be passed by the Senate.

WANTS

FOUND.—A small package of dry goods on Main street Friday evening. Owner can have same by identifying same and paying for this notice. 304-1f

WANTED.—A good farm hand. Apply to John L. Barringer. 302-2f

WANTED.—Two farm hands, also men to cut wood and make posts. Apply 2 miles west of Ada on Sandy. Blocker & Shaw. 301-6f

FOR SALE.—A complete grocery, restaurant and cold drink business will be sold at a bargain. Best location in town. Apply to R. J. Lewis, Red Line Grocery. 296-10f

Banks Pay Their Taxes.

Lawton, Ok., Mar. 4.—The banks of Comanche county which refused to pay their 1904 taxes because, in the assessments, the stock was assessed to the bank instead of the stockholders, after the county commissioner had remitted amounts already paid and had canceled that against real estate amounting to \$8,000, paid the taxes to the county treasurer today.

Democratic Primary Election.

By the authority vested in us as the Executive Committee of the Ada Democratic Club, we hereby call a Democratic Primary Election to be held at the Mayor's office in the town of Ada, Indian Territory, on the 21st day of March, 1905, for the purposes of nominating candidates for the various city officers to be filled at the April election, naming the following: J. E. Webb, W. D. Lowden and W. C. Castleberry; Judges, L. D. Ratliff and J. W. Dean, clerks and Marvin Brown as register of rolls, as officers to conduct the holding of such elections; and promulgating the following rules, to-wit:

1. None shall have the right to vote at said election without first enrolling his name on the rolls of the Ada Democratic Club, and who will be a legally qualified voter at the general election; provided however, that the roll shall be closed till the closing of the poll.

2. The poll shall open at 8 o'clock a. m. and close at the 6:30 o'clock p. m.

3. No one shall be allowed to vote at said election without taking the following pledge: I am a Democrat and will support the Democrat nominees.

4. Pledge herein provided shall be printed on all tickets and no other ticket shall be used or counted. February 23, 1905.

J. W. Bolen, President.

W. L. Reed, Secretary.



TIME CARD.
Ada, Ind. Ter

EAST BOUND TRAINS.

No. 510 Meteor, 5:30 p. m.
No. 512 Eastern Exp. 9:39 a. m.
No. 542 Local Freight, 4:05 p. m.

WEST BOUND TRAINS.

No. 509 Meteor, 8:34 a. m.
No. 511 Texas Pass, 8:22 p. m.
No. 541 Local Freight, 7:35 a. m.

Local freight trains carry passengers provided with permits. Ten per cent saved on the purchase of round trip tickets. I. McNair, Agent.

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OUR STORE

In the Henley & Biles building, will always be found headquarters for everything in fresh staple and fancy.

GROCERIES

Our business will be conducted on One Price Spot Cash lines. Phone us, or better yet, call at the store and see how well we are able to serve you.

MOSS & SCRIBNER.

Shaw's Nickel Store

Where a Child Can Trade as well as a Grown Person. One Price to all...

Small Profits Quick Sales

Cash

Make a specialty of 5c and 10c Bargain Counter Goods.

GARDEN SEEDS—L. L. Mays' Northern Grown seeds are the hardiest, and are standard for purity, 2 papers, 5 cents.

ONION SETS—Either White or Red Variety, 30 cents per gallon.

GARDEN or FLOWER TROWELS AND FORKS—5 cents each.

STONEWARE—Of course you will need Milk Jars, Churns and Cocks. We will sell the choice White Stoneware, 10c.

Butter Spades and Butter Spoons, only 5c.

Butter Molds—One pound, hand carved, costs you 14c.

Scrub Brushes—Full 10 inch Fibre Brush, only 10c.

Mop Sticks—A new improved style: easy to work, 10c.

Brooms—Extra heavy 4-strand Broom, 25c.

Shoe Brushes—10, 15 and 25c.

Wash Boards—Good zinc, Globe crimped, 19c.

"Rub-No-More" Soap—For laundry purposes: is the best for hard water, 6 cakes, 25c.

"Rub-No-More" or Gold Dust Washing Powder—6 boxes 25c.

2 cakes good Laundry soap, 5c.

Aldermay Baking Powder—Our regular 25c cans go at 15c.

4 Boxes Arm & Hammer Soda—Costs you 25c. 2 boxes Bag Bluing only 5c.

Spices and Black Pepper, 5c a package.

Grandpa's Wonder—5-ounce cake, 5c.

We are making some reductions on the following: Enamelware, Tinware, China and Queensware. In fact, come here for anything you need in household supplies and we will do our best to please you.

Candies—Guaranteed absolutely pure, 15c per pound.

Pencils—Large No. 2 White and Blue color, sometimes sold at 5c. Costs you only 2 for 5c.

Tablets—Of course you won't forget our nice 5c and 1c Tablets.

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Broadway, 3 doors North of Post Office.

A wet morning walk, but he won't catch cold! He drank Seal Brand Coffee for breakfast.

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We are now able to supply your needs for Bath Tubs, Sinks, Lavatories, Range Boilers, Etc. All sorts of Pipe for Waterworks at Carload Prices.

WE ARE STILL STOCKED WITH

Buggies, Wagons, Implements, Barb Wire, Roofing Iron, Washing Machines, Sewing Machines, Etc. A big stock of Leather Goods and Plough Gear at low cash prices. Inquire of us as to your needs. We are here to show you and if you don't buy we are not the fellows to get hot.

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THE ADA EVENING NEWS.

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M. D. STEINER, Business Manager

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Advertisements, to insure insertion, must reach our office not later than 10 a. m., on day of publication.

If you have a friend visiting you, or other news that would please the public, send it in. Our phone is No. 4; use it.

Official City Paper

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Mayor.

W. C. Duncan authorizes his name announced as a candidate for the office of Mayor of the town of Ada, subject to the action of the voters in the democratic primary.

Recorder, Assessor and Collector.

G. F. Johnson authorizes us to announce his name for the office of Recorder, Assessor and Collector, subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election.

We are requested to announce the name of J. L. Warren for the office of Recorder, Assessor and Collector, subject to the voters of the democratic primary.

R. O. Wheeler announces his candidacy for the office of Recorder, Assessor and Collector, subject to the action of the democratic primary.

K. Jeter authorizes announcement that he is a candidate and solicits the democratic support for the office of Recorder, Assessor and Collector.

City Marshal.

We are authorized to announce the name of L. E. Mitchell for the office of City Marshal, subject to the democratic primary.

Dick Conch has asked us to announce his name for the office of City Marshal subject to the democratic primary.

CAPITULATION

To the extravagant business methods of the times would have made the 1904 new business record of the Mutual Benefit comparatively easy of accomplishment, but the spirit which incited the efforts of its management in 1904 was the same as for sixty years past, to wit: to furnish indemnity against untimely death with the utmost reasonable economy consistent with the utmost attainable certainty that the policies will be paid when due. The Company last year reaped the reward of its past thrift and fair practices. It was a year rife with criticism, and, therefore, a propitious year for the Mutual Benefit. Its Sixtieth Annual Statement, compared with its fifty-ninth, shows but one decrease, which, as in 1903, was in the expense rate, which is a powerful lever with which to move a discriminating public. The increases were remarkable, and as follows:

In Premium Receipts	\$1,029,957.39
In Total Receipts	1,214,332.61
In Amount Paid Policy Holders	556,992.37
In Assets, Par Values	5,444,838.78
In Assets, Market Values	5,778,901.15
In Surplus, Par Values	274,658.39
In Surplus, Market Values	608,720.76
In Insurance Issued and Revived	6,953,653.00
In Outstanding Insurance	26,337,523.00

The Mutual Benefit does not seek to blind the public with brilliant figures. It does not worship the brazen calf of volume, but seeks the approval of the public on the intrinsic justice and fairness of its methods, which are increasingly appreciated by its members, and tend strongly to retain them in the membership, and have been manifestly conducive to the Company's steady and healthy advancement.

Reuben M. Roddie,
Superintendent of Agents.

City Attorney.

R. C. King solicits your support of his candidacy before the democratic primary for the office of City Attorney.

Street Commissioner.

J. D. Gaar asks you to vote for him for street commissioner in the democratic primary.

City Scavenger.

Frank Wheeler announces himself as a candidate for City Scavenger, subject to the decision of the voters at the democratic primary.

Fred T. Hutsie is a candidate before the democratic primary for the office of city scavenger.

Johnie Townsend is a candidate for the office of city scavenger, subject to the action of Ada democrats.

The reason that the fourth of March was chosen for the day of the presidential inauguration was because it never falls on Sunday. The leap year occurring four years and February having one day added, it carries the fourth of March over every time so that date never falls on Sunday.—Holdenville Tribune.

INDIAN APPROPRIATION BILL.

Contains Removal Restriction Clause—A Grand Boon

Washington, Mar. 4.—The conferees on the Indian appropriation bill today agreed on the three propositions in dispute in that measure. The house receded from its disagreement to the senate amendment removing restrictions for the sale of land in Indian Territory. The senate receded from its amendment appropriating \$1,500,000 for the Colville Indians in Washington as reimbursement for the sale of lands and the senate receded from its amendment appropriating \$1,500,000 for the irrigation project for the Pima Indians on the Gila river in Arizona.

BATTLE IS RAGING.

General Engagement of the Most Desperate Character in Progress.

St. Petersburg, Mar. 3, 5:30 p. m.—According to the latest information from the front, the battle is now general and of the most desperate character. The losses have been exceedingly heavy on both sides during the preliminary fighting.

Although it is not officially admitted, it is regarded as certain that Gen. Kuropatkin is directing all his efforts to the withdrawal of his army to Tie Pass. It is now practically a rear guard action, but Gen. Kuropatkin's task of extricating himself is proving very difficult.

The Japanese have not only driven in his left, but a column already is said to have crossed the Hun river east of Fushuan. At the same time the Japanese are pressing the Russian center under the cover of the fire of their siege guns and Gen. Kuropatkin is gradually retiring before the Japanese advance.

The efforts of the Japanese to envelop the Russian right wing have been unsuccessful, but it has been forced back almost on a line with Mukden. Two Russian divisions were dispatched to head off the wide flanking column advancing from the Liao river toward Simintin (about 30 miles west of Mukden) but according to the latest advices they were to late, the Japanese having entered the town yesterday.

No official figures regarding the losses are obtainable, but according to the unofficial reports the Russian losses up to last night were nearly 7,000 men.

Gen. Rennkampf distinguished himself during the fighting in the mountain passes south of Mukden.

YOUNG PEOPLE DIE TOGETHER

Married Last Sunday, Man and Wife Commit Suicide.

Tulsa, I. T., March 4.—Friday morning at 5:30 o'clock William Neet and his wife walked to the outer edge of town and killed themselves with a 38 caliber pistol. From letters left it would seem that both parties were tired of living. Neet was a young man, well known in Tulsa, and was married last Sunday to a young lady in Kansas. Deceased was a Woodman of the World and carried \$2,000 insurance, and in the letter left to his father, requested him to pay his funeral expenses and other little debts, and he could have the remainder.

Dies Terrible Death.

Lawton, Ok., Mar. 4.—Rural Mail Carrier Carter of Altus was killed in a runaway. Carter hitched a wild broncho to a sulky for the purpose of breaking it, when the vehicle was overturned, catching the man's leg in a wheel. The leg was severed from the body and Carter died in great agony.

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"That's just my luck. I've bought a pair of shoes at another store just now, but I thought I'd come in and price your shoes. I'm sorry now." We hear such complaints almost every day. All we can say is come here first.—Chapman. 299-6t

Notice of Election.

Notice is hereby given that at an adjourned meeting of the Town Council of the Incorporated town of Ada, I. T., on February 22, 1905, the following resolution was adopted, viz:

Whereas, The town of Ada has grown in number of inhabitants until there are thickly settled districts in almost every direction, outside of and beyond the corporate limits of said town, and

Whereas, said districts are contiguous to said town, and are situated within the Southern District of the Indian Territory and

Whereas, It is necessary and proper that proper police, sanitary, and other regulations be enforced in said populous districts, and

Whereas, The inhabitants of said outside sections are deprived of public school benefits, being outside of the corporate limits of said town, and non-taxpayers therein, and now therefore be it Resolved by the board of Mayor and Aldermen of the Incorporated town of Ada, that it is the desire of the municipal corporation of Ada to annex to said municipal corporation the following contiguous territory, to wit:

S. E. 1 of N. E. 1 of Sec. 32, T. 4 N. R. 6 E.

W. 1 of S. W. 1 of N. W. 1 of Sec. 33, T. 4 N. R. 6 E.

N. E. 1 of S. E. 1 of Sec. 32, T. 4 N. R. 6 E.

E. 1 of S. E. 1 of S. E. 1 of Sec. 32, T. 4 N. R. 6 E.

W. 1 of W. 1 of S. W. 1 of Sec. 33, T. 4 N. R. 6 E.

N. E. 1 of N. E. 1 of N. E. 1 of Sec. 5, T. 3 N. R. 6 E.

W. 1 of N. W. 1 of Sec. 4, T. 3 N. R. 6 E.

S. E. 1 of N. W. 1 of Sec. 4, T. 3 N. R. 6 E.

S. 1 of N. E. 1 of N. W. 1 of Sec. 4, T. 3 N. R. 6 E.

N. E. 1 of Sec. 4 T. 3, N. R. 6 E.

E. 1 of E. 1 of Sec. 33, T. 4 N. R. 6 E.

Resolved that the Recorder is hereby directed to give immediate notice, by publication, to the voters of the Incorporated town of Ada, that the question of whether or not they desire said contiguous territory to be added to said corporation, will be submitted to the said voters at the regular April, 1905, election.

Adopted this the 22nd day of February, 1905.

I. M. King, Mayor.

Attest: G. F. Johnson, Recorder.

Now, therefore, in obedience to the term of the above and foregoing resolution, the legal electors of the Incorporated town of Ada are hereby notified that at the Mayor's office at the regular annual election on Tuesday, April 4, 1905, an election will be held to determine whether or not the voters of the town of Ada, desire the annexation of the territory described in said Resolution to the corporate limits to the town of Ada.

Given under my hand this February 23, 1905.

G. F. Johnson, Recorder.

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The City hotel, the leading one in Vandalia, Mo., burned Thursday night. Loss, \$4,000; insurance about \$7,000.

Guthrie, Ok., March 4.—The lower house has passed Representative Noffsinger's bill providing that railroads shall not use discrimination in freight rates and also that legislators shall not accept passes, with a heavy penalty attached for such misdemeanor.

dozen, \$1.50; squirrels, 50c per doz; rabbits, drawn, 30c.

Potatoes—Northern, per bushel, 45¢-50¢; sweets, per bushel, \$5.61-6.00.

Fruit—Apples, \$1.50-2.35 per barrel; oranges, \$2.50-2.75 per box; lemons, \$2.75; cranberries, per barrel, \$1.50-2.75.

Vegetables—Cabbage, \$1.25-1.35 per cwt. Celery, \$1.00-1.35.



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